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25X1. On 14 November, the Hungnam (127-33, 39-52) Fertilizer Factory was visited by an inspection group consisting of Gung Hak-se (金鶴世), chief of the Bureau of State Security,\* five Soviet scientists, and several members of the Soviet embassy in Pyongyang. One German scientist was also reported accompanying the group.

3. The scientists made a thorough inspection of the plant, including the water purification section in the dye department. They spent three days in this work.

The Hungnam factory is guarded by the Factory Defense Unit and the Po An  
Major repairs are planned for 1950.

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